

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

## Memorandum

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EXHIBIT 24

TO : FILE (100-16601)

DATE: 12/10/63

FROM : SAC

SUBJECT: LEE HARVEY OSWALD, aka.  
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On 12/10/63, at 9:45 a.m. I talked to Mr. JIM MALLEY at Dallas. I asked MALLEY whether Dallas planned to submit results of all Lab examinations or whether New Orleans and other offices were expected to submit results of Lab examinations of the material submitted by the respective offices.

MALLEY stated that Dallas is preparing a report and will devote one section thereof to results of FBI Lab examinations and therefore, it will not be necessary for New Orleans to submit the same data in any New Orleans report.

For MALLEY's information I gave him a brief, oral resume of the leads and various lines of investigation New Orleans is currently pursuing in connection with the OSWALD case.

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ADDENDUM BY ASAC SYLVESTER, 12/10/63

At 10:15 a.m., 12/10/63, SA BOB GRAMBLING of Dallas advised received telephone call from Mr. MALLEY concerning questions raised by Mr. MAYNOR.

- 1) In reference to Lab reports:
  - a) Each office should report the obtaining and sending of evidence to the Lab;
  - b) Dallas will report all results furnished by the Lab in their reports. It will not be necessary for office sending in the evidence to report results of Lab findings.

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- 2) In reference to the picture of the sling on the gun, as soon as one is available from the Bureau, it will be forwarded to the New Orleans Office.

According to GRAMBLING, this sling has buckles instead of hook fasteners which are ordinarily on gun slings. GRAMBLING stated that from some of the places they have contacted in Dallas, it is indicated there is a possibility this was a homemade sling and the Laboratory is being asked to carefully examine the sling to see if it is an improvised sling.